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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Wagner *et al.*

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For: **Complexes for Transporting Nucleic Acid into Eukaryotic Higher-Cells**

Art Unit: 1632

Examiner: R. Schnizer

Atty. Docket: 0652.2010000/REF/MMC

**Request to Approve Proposed Drawing Corrections**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Attached are copies of 5 sheets of drawings, containing proposed corrections to Figures 12a, 12b, 13, 15, and 16, shown in red. The proposed changes add no new matter to this application. Support for changes to Figures 12a, 12b, and 13 may be found, *inter alia*, in the Specification, page 30, line 24 to page 32, line 12 (Example 11), and page 32, line 14 to page 33, line 35 (Example 12). The changes to Figures 15 and 16 are requested to correct typographical errors in the drawings. Applicants request that the Examiner approve the proposed corrections. After official communication of such approval, Applicants will make the appropriate corrections to the formal drawings.

Respectfully submitted,

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